

BARR-EDEN ESTATE

Eden Valley, Australia



Products

Avenue to Gold Shiraz
Dreams of Gold Shiraz
Love Over Gold Grenache
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Barr-Eden Estate is a storied piece of land situated at the crest of Mengler's Hill, one of the highest points of viticulture in Australia. The Pohlner family settled Eden Valley from Prussia (Germany) in 1858 and established themselves on this property in 1862. The land remained in their family for more than 150 years. The formidable Bob McLean purchased the Barr-Eden Estate in 1997 after a long and successful career promoting and making wine in Australia. He wanted this vineyard on the mountain viewed forever as a 'winemaker's vineyard'. Bob's neighbor and well-known grape-grower, Joel Matschoss, first acquired fruit from the site which sits atop the ancient goldfields of the Eden in 2014. He produced the first small batch of Love Over Gold wine with Pierre-Henri Morel. Pierre-Henri spent 13-years at Chapoutier and was drawn to Barr-Eden as it reminded him of his beloved Northern Rhône. Bob McLean passed away in 2015 leaving his vision to his collaborators. In 2016, Joel and Pierre-Henri, along with friends Michael Twelftree and Tim Hower from Two Hands Wines, became the new custodians of this special property. The four friends are the masterminds behind the labels, Love Over Gold, Avenue to Gold, and Dreams of Gold. The wines are made by the Two Hands team, Richard Langford and Brooke Edson, under the close stewardship of the four owners. Today, the Property is made up of 135 acres of land - 15 acres under vine - where the spirit of the original founders is maintained with vineyards, orchards and sheep grazing.

Owner : Tim Hower, Joel Matschoss, Pierre-Henri Morel and Michael Twelftree

Total acres planted : 15 acres (6 hectares)

Varietals planted :
Shiraz, Grenache, Mourvedre

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